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Pursuant to your telephone conversation with Deborah Stiehler of this office, attached please find Transmittal Letter Form PTO-1390, together with a copy of the 20 December 2001 grant of Applicants' petition. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me or Debbie at 240-453-3423. Thank you.

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